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Canty District, No. 1.—P. H. Alford, Justice,
held March 5, June 17, September 4, December
18. E. F. Tilford, Justice, held March 18, June
4, September 18, December 4.

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held March 5, June 15, September 15, December
15. D. J. Wilcox, Justice, held March 15, June
25, September 15, December 15.

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held March 31, June 14, September 20, December
15. T. S. Burnett, Justice, held March 16, June
25, September 15, December 20.

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Justice, held March 11, June 22, September 11, De-
cember 27. S. Woodward, Justice, held March 21,
June 10, September 25, December 11.

Forbesville District, No. 5.—C. W. R. Cobb,
Justice, held March 8, June 19, September 8, Decem-
ber 22. J. L. Burton, Justice, held March 29, June
7, September 22, December 8.

Little District, No. 6.—C. S. McElroy, March
9, June 21, September 9, December 23. Jas.
Miller, Justice, held March 22, June 8, September
23, December 9.

Hartford District, No. 7.—Jno. P. Cooper, Jus-
tice, held March 13, June 25, September 14, Decem-
ber 29. A. D. Bennett, Justice, held March 23,
June 11, September 27, December 13.

Cromwell District, No. 8.—Samuel Austin, Jus-
tice, held March 27, June 16, September 29, Decem-
ber 17. Melvin Taylor, Justice, held March 17,
June 26, September 17, December 17.

Hartford District, No. 9.—Thomas L. Allen, Jus-
tice, held March 12, June 24, September 13, Decem-
ber 28. Jan. M. Leach, Justice, held March 26,
June 12, September 28, December 14.

Sulphur Springs District, No. 10.—R. G.
Wedding, Justice, held March 19, June 5, September
21, December 7. Jno. A. Bennett, Justice, held
March 6, June 18, September 7, December 21.

Bartlett District, No. 11.—W. H. Cummins,
Justice, held March 10, June 22, September 10, Decem-
ber 24. J. S. Yates, Justice, held March 25,
June 9, September 24, December 10.

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Hartford—J. H. Luce, Judge, second Mon-
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Saturday in January, April, July and October.

Cromwell—A. P. Montague, Judge, first
Tuesday in January, April, July and October.
Cerroville—W. D. Barnard, Judge, last Sat-
urday in March, June, September and Decem-
ber.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1875.

JNO. P. BARRETT, LOCAL EDITOR.

Particular Notice.

All persons indebted to this office, will
please call and pay up, as we are in urgent
need of some money. We cannot run a
newspaper without money, and hence we are
under the necessity of collecting as fast as
amounts fall due.

Beautiful weather again.

Cotton yarns and jeans, very cheap, at
E. SMALL'S.

Rev. Mr. Humphrey will preach at the
courthouse next Sunday.

Mr. Warren Griffin, of Elizabethtown,
has been in town for the past few days.

Mrs. Jarboe, of this place, spent a few
days among her relations in the city of
Owensboro, last week.

Quite a number of the fair ones were
to be seen with the young gallants en-
joying buggy-drives Sunday.

It costs a man sixty cents to eat a wa-
termelon now—ten cents for the melon,
and fifty cents for guinine.

Mrs. Dr. Hale and daughter, of Owens-
boro, spent a few days in our town, leav-
ing yesterday, visiting her brother's (Hon.
H. D. McHenry) family.

The Hartford J. A. M. S. who played the
Minor Juniors a match game of base ball
Saturday, came home delighted over their
victory. The score, 59 to 26,
being in favor of our boys.

Base Ball.

The long expected game between the
Blackstones and Clieques came off at the
Fair Grounds on Thursday last. So
many believed the whole thing a hoax,
that the crowd in attendance was not so
large as might have been expected; but
those who did attend witnessed the rarest
fun since Jack Falstaff so nobly vanquish-
ed the nine men in buckram on Gads
Hill.

THE WEATHER.

was arranged expressly for the game, and
the huge black cloud divided at the ap-
pointed time and the sun shone brilliantly
as the game was called by Capt. McHenry
and Gregory, who rode into the grounds
like veritable Don Cesar de Bazans; and
before whose approach all made way.

THE BALL.

with which the game was played was
bought of Wayne Griffin on three months
"tick," the sum being secured by a formi-
dable replevin bond.

THE ROLL CALL.

All the members were on hand (except
Morton, who was putting up hay prepar-
atory to joining the Grangers, and Barrett,
who is operating a coal mine either in
Alaska or Louisville, nobody knows
which).

FOR JUST CAUSE.

Judge Baird had been chosen Umpire,
but coming into the grounds with the
cover of a yellow-back novel sticking out
of his pocket, he was accused of having
read the rules of the game, and of course
was promptly disbarred.

A CONDITIONAL UMPIRE.

Dr Griffin was selected in his place, be-
cause he consented to act provided the
game should be continued from day to day
until an inning on each side was played.

THE BOX OF CONTENTION.

Much fuss was made over a uniform,
all the members wishing to wear striped
stockings, except Rowe and Strother,
whose extremities refused to hear of any
such arrangement.

A SKEWON EMPLOYED.

Dr. Griffin agreed for the sum of eighty-
five dollars to repair all broken bones,
binding himself to open a hospital at the
end of the game. How much he lost will
appear later on.

THEY GET DOWN TO THE WORK.

The Clieques went to the bat with Mur-
rell at the home base, and just such bat-
ting as he did probably never has been
seen, for what he was trying to hit no one
exactly knew.

BATTING EXTRAORDINARY.

His bat was like Pickwick's gun, point-
ed in all directions, and when he struck
he shut both eyes and trusted to luck,
which always went back on him, and left
him wondering why every body didn't
tell him to run.

GREGORY'S TRIUMPH.

Capt. Gregory followed Murrell, and
faced the ball under a broad grin, resolved
to do or die. He blazed away at the ball
with a grunt, gave a fearful strike send-
ing the ball by a neat mathematical cal-
culation one foot and seven-tenths. As
he broke and run, his round figure
swayed in the sunlight, while a game of
seven up might have been played on his
long duster streaming behind.

The crowd yelled, clapped hands, and fairly
roared when the gallant Capt. reached
the first base. Being familiar with the
game the Judge thought, as he had start-
ed to run he must keep right on—seeing
which, the Blackstones essayed the task
of putting him out. Hubbard threw the
ball to Fogle, and missed him by about
seventy feet; Bill got hold of it, and if he
threw at any one at all he missed by one
hundred and forty feet. The ball kept
passing and missing in geometrical pro-
portion, Gregory, in the meantime, forg-
ing ahead (his bald head reflecting the
prismatic colors of the rainbow), like a
ship in the trough of the sea, wallowing,
putting, and grinning. Haynes finally
got the ball, and deliberately set down on
it, but long before this the Judge had got
home and scored a run, a feat over which
his posterity may shed tears of fond re-
membrance.

MURPHY SHOWS 'EM A NEW WRINKLE.

When the Blackstones came to the bat,
it was of course in the person of Capt.
McHenry, who had taken the lightning
express from Louisville to be at the game.
The gallant Capt. bared his breast to-
wards the pitcher, looking as broad as
the main sail of a seventy-four, quite
overcoming Cox, who held the ball. He
struck at the ball by actual count sixty-
three times, and then struck it in fact
and started—in the wrong direction, and
in spite of yells, ejaculations, railing of the
umpire, in defiance of everything and
everybody, ran the whole circle in the
contrary direction, and came in swearing
that he knew his business about a
boat, and that any fool ought to know
which way to run. He was two hours
and ten minutes in getting around—that
is, what was left when he did get around,
for he came in on three legs, saying that
some one had hit him with a rock. The
crowd were divided, some saying that it
was the string-bait, others the bats, and
still others that the old home had corked
himself. Of course the captain was laid
on the shelf.

THE KING REB.

As a player, Walker was par excellence
the Ajax Telamon of the game. He ran
faster and covered more ground, caught
more balls and was in more places at the
same time, gave better advice, called
loud bells instead of the umpire, and then
wondered why he did it, than all the rest.

WEDDING'S LOST OPPORTUNITY.

Wedding might have caught a ball
once, but unfortunately was sitting on the
ground taking a flen out of his stocking.
"For God's sake," said McHenry, "if the
fellow isn't sitting down?" And sure
enough George was flat on the ground,
not thinking it possible that a ball would
come near him.

FOGIE'S LUCK.

Fogle was a second edition of El. Mur-
rell, revised and corrected, and would
have made some runs, if he had not al-
ways been caught out.

PREPARED TO CELEBRATE.

Sam. Cox enjoyed the game more than
any one. He carried out a ten cent
dag to wear in his hat if his side won.

MODEL PLAYERS.

Tom. Smith, Strother and Hill played
well, always being in the right place at
the wrong time. Hill can throw a ball
fifteen feet now, and thinks, with a little
practice, that he can gain an inch or two
on that distance.

HOW THEY WERE TAKEN IN.

Haynes and Platt were taken in to
supply vacant places, under a pledge to
go to studying law. They have already
gone to reading law with Fogle.

MORE OF THE SAME SORT.

Wise, Phipps and Rowe are all splen-
did players, always catching the ball and
keeping it. Rowe is really a dangerous
player—that is, it is dangerous to be
within forty feet of his bat, which always
slips out of his hands.

MORGAN TAKES IT EASY.

Morgan, as a player, was dignified, and
never once condescended to go out of a
walk, a rare quality in a base ballist.

There was more yelling, cries and ges-
ticulating than could be imagined. The
results of the game may be succinctly
summed up:

McHenry, Gregory and Morgan are in
the dry docks, getting new timbers,
neither of them being able to tell which
leg to limp on.

Strother, Hubbard and Cox, are laid
up in ordinary, to have the spurs washed
down and be refitted.

Walker is alongside of the dock, waiting
for a tanyard to be put up to get enough
leather for a new pair of boots.

The game was profitable, not costing
over \$300—in time and repairs—and has
been played over on the dry-goods boxes
at least fifty times since Thursday.

Judge Townsend came on the ground,
but was expelled by the police force be-
fore he could be identified. He was
taken for an Irish emigrant just landed.

Judge Gregory made only one run,
and then went home for a lunch. It had
been just 23 minutes since he got up from
dinner, and somebody told him that a
load of water-melons had just come in
town, and off he darted, like a shot from
a hot shovell.

Clarence Hardwick and Berry Cole-
man were the only players who knew
anything about the game. They were
each knocked over about forty times by
the awkwardness of the other players,
and the principal part of the game con-
sisted in putting them out. The follow-
ing is a summary of the game:

BLACKSTONES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R
Hubbard	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	5
Coleman	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	5
Strother	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4
Wise	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Fogle	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Haynes	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	6
Walker & Mc-										
Henry	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Platt	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Hill	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Wedding	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	6
Total	7	14	8	1	0	1	0	11	4	46

OUTS.—Hubbard, 3; Coleman, 2; Strother, 4;
Fogle, 6; Haynes, 2; Walker & McHenry, 2;
Platt, 3; Hill, 3; Wedding, 1.

CLIEQUES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R
Murrell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hardwick	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Wise	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Cox	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Morgan	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Gregory & For-										
man	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Smith	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Rowe	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Phelps	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	8
Total	4	9	8	2	2	1	0	2	0	24

OUTS.—Murrell, 4; Hardwick, 1; Wise, 4; Cox,
4; Gregory & Foreman, 4; Smith, 4; Rowe, 3.

The Clieques have challenged the Black-
stones for a return game. The challenge
has been accepted, and the game will be
called on the Fair Grounds at 2:30 P. M.
next Friday.

Just received, new goods, of every de-
scription, low down for cash, at
E. SMALL'S.

Two Invaluable Works.

We are indebted to Mr. F. S. Winston,
President of the Mutual Life Insurance
Company of New York, for copies of two
really valuable books issued by his Com-
pany, entitled respectively "Plain Direc-
tions for Accidents, Emergencies, and
Poisons," and "Plain Directions for the
Care of the Sick, and Recipes for Sick
People." Both works were prepared by
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After a thorough examination, we pro-
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household. They are not only valuable
in and of themselves, but they are printed
in the best style of the art. They are
written so as to be readily and instantly
understood. They are distributed gratui-
tously, and will be sent to any one, free
of charge, who will write for them and
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doctors' bills. Address The New York
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Ladies' Balmoral Skirts of the latest

styles, and very low, at E. SMALL'S.

Acknowledgment.

Yesterday afternoon we received a bas-
ket of large and luscious Concord grapes,
with the compliments of Misses Mary
and Julia Townsend. We can assure our
young lady friends that their kindness
was duly appreciated, and we extend to
them the thanks of the HERALD's corps.

The old Methodist church is being

torn down, and a new one will be in
course of erection in a short time.
Messrs Graves & Cox are the contractors,
and will push the work along.

Challenge and Acceptance.

The following correspondence speaks
for itself:

HARTFORD, Ky. Aug. 20, 1875.
Hos. H. D. McHenry, Captain of the
Blackstone B. B. Club—Sir: I am instructed
by the Court House Clieque B. B.
Club to challenge your Club, through
you, to a return match game of base ball,
at the Fair Grounds, on Friday, the 27th
day of August, 1875. Very respectfully,
W. F. GREGORY, Captain.

HARTFORD, Ky., Aug. 20, 1875.
Hos. W. F. Gregory, Captain of the
Court House Clieque B. B. Club—Sir: Your
challenge to play our club on Friday, the
27th instant, at the Fair Grounds is ac-
cepted. H. D. McHenry, Captain.

Special bargains in boots and shoes, at
E. SMALL'S.

Fine Grapes.

Mrs. Dan Tracy has again placed us
under obligations, this time for a hand-
some assortment of fine and delicious
grapes, consisting of the Concord, Ives,
Rebecca and Rogers No. 15. She will
please accept our thanks. We like the
Concord best.

Mr. C. F. Schampfer also brought us
a bunch of Concord which weighed
nearly thirteen ounces, for which we ten-
der our thanks. We like to be remem-
bered in this way.

Probable Fatal Accident.

Mr. Payne Faught, a young man living
near Cromwell, this county, happened to
a serious accident on last Saturday. His
horse fell down with him and injured
him so badly that he will probably not
recover. At last accounts it was thought
by friends in attendance, that he was dy-
ing.

Chinn Captured.

Monday morning last jailer Wise re-
ceived a dispatch from Evansville, noti-
fying him of the capture in that city of
George E. Chinn, the horse-thief, who
escaped from our jail on the night of July
21st. He took the afternoon train for
Evansville, and returned last night, and
sure enough it wasn't Chinn.

Another Escape.

Monday night the Leach woman, who
has been confined in jail charged with
fornication and keeping a bawdy house,
and in whose behalf a petition for pardon
was recently forwarded to the Governor,
made her escape from jail. It is very
evident she had outside assistance.

Correction.

An error in the advertisement of the
Hartford Seminary, as it appeared in our
last issue, lengthened the next section to
twenty-five weeks. It should have read
"twenty-two" weeks.

Black Alpaca, large assortments,
cheaper than anywhere, at E. SMALL'S.

Mrs. Jack Hardin, of Daviess county,
Ky., accompanied by Miss D. M. Ray,
daughter of Hon. G. W. Ray, of Owens-
boro, are visiting Mrs. Malcolm McIn-
tyre, of this place.

"Rev. Dr. Astor," the colored preacher
"from London, England," who was pas-
tor of a church here, was continually in
hot water with his flock, and who finally
left town under a cloud, was mobbed by
people of his own color at Franklin, Ky.,
a few nights ago, and pretty badly bruised
up.

To the bewitching Maggie, whose strin-
ge is Moseley, we return our thanks
for Malmseys. They were the best we
have had this season, and we can only
wish there had been more.

OUR CANEVILLE LETTER.

CANEVILLE, Ky., August 23.

EDITOR HERALD—It is from the resig-
nation of your former correspondent at
this place, "J. T. N." that I venture to
chronicle these items, and promise your
corps of readers a weekly letter from our
little town.

MERCANTILE CHANGE.

Porter, Eskridge & Co., a firm which
has been doing quite an extensive dry
goods and general mercantile business at
this place for almost two years, dissolved
on Friday, the 13th instant, W. J. and
H. A. Wilson retiring. The business
will be continued under the firm name of
Porter & Eskridge.

DON'T LET THEM RUN AT LARGE, THEN.
The west-bound night freight train ran
over and killed two of J. C. Milligan's
mules, at this place, on Monday night,
the 18th inst. This makes five horses
and mules that have been killed by the
night trains within four miles of this
place in the last two months. Those en-
gineers are too careless, and the people of
this community would do well to make
an effort to stop such stock slaughtering.
And we say put the law in force!

THE MAN FOR THE PLACE.

J. C. Milligan, who was elected constable
of this district at the May election, has
resigned his office a few days since, and
the constable's office has been declared
vacant. We take the liberty of suggest-
ing that the court would act sagaciously
were it to appoint D. S. Carroll to the va-
cancy, who has filled the office before, and
to the entire satisfaction of the people of
this vicinity.

CROPS ALL RIGHT AGAIN.

We deem it unnecessary to make fur-
ther crop reports, for there is no doubt
but that there will be an excellent crop
of both corn and tobacco in this county.